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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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FOR: CELL ELECTRODE PLATE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

RESTRICTION RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 14, 2009, Applicant elects, without traverse, the invention identified as Group II, Species I, in the Restriction Requirement, drawn to a process for producing a cell electrode plate, for further examination on the merits. Applicant identifies Claim 10 as readable on Group II, Species I. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected aspects of the invention.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claim 10 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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